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Dear Sir/Madam:

Attached is the Response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2004 for the referenced patent application.

Patent Application S.N. 10/065,303

Title: Multi-Point Subsurface Measurement Calibration

Applicant: Evans et al. Filed: October 1, 2002 Atty. Dkt. No: 20.2799 Group Art Unit: 2878

Examiner: Albert J. Gagliardi

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 1, 2004

Dear Sir:

This paper is timely submitted in response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2004. Subsequent to the issuance of the Office Action dated July 1, 2004, the undersigned had a phone conversation with Examiner Gagliardi (on July 29, 2004) to discuss the restriction requirement. The originally-filed claims were restricted under 35 U.S.C. 121 as: Group I - claims 1-9, 12, 16-17, 19-21, 23-24; Group II - claims 13-15; Group III - claims 10-11, 18, 22.

Applicants elect to prosecute Group I - claims 1-9, 12, 16-17, 19-21, 23-24. The remaining claims in Groups II and III are hereby cancelled without prejudice.

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